S.B. 248

CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE DATABASE AMENDMENTS

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 2

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Senator Curtis S. Bramble proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 1, Lines 22 through 23:
 - 22 Other Special Clauses:
 - 23 None This bill takes effect on January 1, 2012.
- 2. Page 5, Lines 125 through 131:
 - (j) the following licensed physicians for the purpose of reviewing and offering an
 - opinion on an individual's request for workers' compensation benefits under Title 34A, Chapter
 - 2, Workers' Compensation Act, or Title 34A, Chapter 3, Utah Occupational Disease Act:
 - 128 (i) a member of the medical panel described in Section 34A-2-601; or
 - 129 { (ii) the medical director for the Labor Commission; }
 - 130 {<u>(iii) the medical director for a workers' compensation insurer;</u>} {<u>or</u>}
 - 131 {<u>(iv) the medical director for a self-insured employer;</u>} {<u>and</u>}
 - (ii) a physician offering a second opinion regarding treatment; and
- 3. Page 6, Lines 153 through 160:
 - 153 { Section 2. Section 58-37f-704 is enacted to read:
 - 154 <u>58-37f-704. Requirement to check controlled substance database.</u>
 - 155 A licensed physician shall review the database before writing a first prescription to a
 - 156 patient for a schedule H or schedule HI controlled substance to determine if there is evidence
 - 157 relating to the patient of:
 - 158 (1) prescription duplication;
 - 159 (2) drug over-use; or
 - 160 <u>(3) drug abuse.</u>

Section 2. Effective Date

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